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Tom Leiser founded Bandera Ventures with Charles Anderson and Pryor Blackwell in May 2003. The Bandera Partners have over 85 years' experience in commercial real estate encompassing in excess of 75 million square feet of development and acquisitions throughout the United States. Bandera's business strategy is centered around a focus on industrial development and acquisitions, distressed office acquisitions and single tenant build-to-suit opportunities.

Before founding Bandera Ventures, Mr. Leiser spent nearly 20 years at Trammell Crow Company. Mr. Leiser started as a leasing agent and was responsible for industrial and office developments at Trammell Crow throughout the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex as well as having national responsibility for Corporate Build-To-Suits, Airport Development, Healthcare Development, Colleges and Universities and Mixed Use Developments.

Mr. Leiser obtained his BA from Indiana University, JD from Indiana University School of Law, and MBA from Southern Methodist University, each with honors. He is active in the National Association of Industrial and Office Parks (NAIOP) as well as The Real Estate Council where he was a Founding Member of Dallas Sixty. He is an Elder at Highland Park Presbyterian Church and a member of the Foundation Board for Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital. Mr. Leiser is on the Board of Vision Africa, a ministry focused on spiritual and health issues in Nigeria.

Tom is a former Board Member of NAIOP where he chaired the national committee on finance and tax. Mr. Leiser is also a former board member of the International Center of Religion and Diplomacy and a former member of the Associate Board at the Edwin L. Cox School of Business at Southern Methodist University where he taught Business Law while working on his MBA.